

Lieutenant Governor

## **Insurance Department**

TANJI J. NORTHRUP Interim Insurance Commissioner

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Senator Curtis S. Bramble, Senate Chair Representative James A. Dunnigan, House Chair Business and Labor Interim Committee 350 North State Street Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

Utah Code § 31A-22-626.5 requires that the Utah Insurance Department produce a study on the affordability of insulin.

Enclosed is the Utah Insurance Department's report, *Affordable Insulin Study*, which provides information and data on the statutory requirements of Utah Code § 31A-22-626.5. While the Department was unsuccessful in obtaining a grant for funding of this study, we were still able to produce it through the assistance of an unpaid intern. The report was due on or before October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020 and we apologize for the delay in providing this information.

I hope this report is useful to the committee. If you or other members of the committee have any questions or concerns with the report, please contact Shelley Wiseman, the Health & Life Insurance Division, Director, at 801-537-9293 or <a href="mailto:swiseman@utah.gov">swiseman@utah.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

Tanji J. Northrup, Interim Insurance Commissioner